SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK	
In re DELPHI CORPORATION, et al.,	
Debtors,	Bankruptcy Court Case No. 05-44481 (RDD)
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## AFFIRMATION OF VICTOR J. MASTROMARCO, JR. IN SUPPORT OF H.E. SERVICES AND ROBERT BACKIE'S MOTION FOR LEAVE TO APPEAL PURSUANT TO F.R. BANKR.P. 8003

- I, VICTOR J. MASTROMARCO, JR., affirm the following under perjury:
- I am an attorney with the law firm The Mastromarco Firm located at 1024
  North Michigan Avenue, Saginaw, Michigan 48605.
- 2. I submit this affidavit in support of Creditors H.E. Services Company and Robert Backie's application for leave to appeal the bankruptcy court's ruling denying Creditors motion for relief from the bankruptcy stay.
- 3. That prior to the filing of bankruptcy by the Debtor, the Creditors (former suppliers for Debtor) had initiated a lawsuit in the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Michigan alleging, in part, unlawful discrimination in violation of 42 USC § 1981, and the District Court issued an administrative stay following the filing of bankruptcy by the Debtor.
- 4. Mr. Backie is the majority shareholder of H.E. Services Company and is a Native American and his company is a registered minority corporation.
- 5. The Creditors have alleged, in part, that the Debtors unlawfully discriminated against the Creditors and gave more favorable treatment to non-minority suppliers in breach of its contract.

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6. The Creditors have also alleged that the Debtors utilized the Creditors for

the purpose of creating the perception that Debtor was utilizing a minority corporation.

7. That the bankruptcy court denied Creditors' request for relief from the stay

so that Creditors could pursue their personal injury claim against the Debtor on August

10, 2006. A copy of the Order is attached as Exhibit 1 to the Motion for Leave to Appeal.

8. The bankruptcy court subsequently extended the deadline for filing the

above appeal to September 28, 2006. A copy of the Order is attached as Exhibit 2 to the

Motion for Leave to Appeal.

Dated: September 25, 2006

THE MASTROMARCO FIRM

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Signed and sworn to before me, a notary public for the County of Saginaw, State of

Michigan, on this <u>45</u> day of September, 2006.

name

SHARON E. NAVARRE, Notary Public

Bay County acting in Saginaw County, MI

My Commission Expires 06/06/07